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1. In late September 1950* disposition of Chinese Communist forces in Kwangsi was as follows:
 - a. The 147 Division (49 Army) was dispersed along the railway from Liuchou (109-16, 24-18) to Chinch'eng (107-59, 24-45) and Laipin (109-16, 23-42) with division headquarters at Liuchou.
 - b. Small garrison forces** were at Wuchou (111-19, 23-28). The balance of the division was at Manning with the 145 Division (49 Army).
 - c. Units of the 45 Army were dispersed at Manning, Chinkhsien (100-37, 21-58), Fangcheng (100-23, 21-46), Lungchou (106-56, 22-22), Hingming (107-07, 22-09), Lungming (107-07, 22-57) and Kuote (107-32, 23-21).
 - d. One army of the 2 Field Army was dispersed at Chinghsi (106-25, 23-09), T'ienpao (106-43, 23-23) and T'ientung (107-06, 23-37). Ten thousand men of this army have already changed into Viet Minh Army uniforms and entered the Caobang area.
 - e. A column commanded by CHUANG T'ien in the Yunnan-Kweichow-Kwangsi border area has thirteen detachments dispersed at Ts'eheng (105-55, 25-00) and Hsingi (105-34, 25-07), Kweichow, Kuangnan (105-02, 24-02), Yunnan and Poseh (106-34, 23-55).
2. In middle August large stocks of Soviet military equipment were shipped from Liuchou to Manning where they were stored for two weeks. In early September the Chinese Communists commandeered vehicles and vessels to ship equipment to Lungchou and thence by highway to Chinkhsien for release to the Viet Minh Army.

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3. Fifteen thousand Viet Minh Army troops are being trained and equipped in Tungshing (107-58, 21-33), Fangcheng, Chinghsi, Lungchou and Nanning. The largest group, of 2,000 cadre and 4,000 men, is in Nanning.
4. Runways of airfields at Liuchou and Nanning have been enlarged to accommodate heavy bombers. Also, underground hangars have been constructed at the Nanning airfield. There is new construction on airfields at Lungchou, Tuan (108-08, 24-02), Tanchu (110-32, 23-26) and Taise.

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* Comment.

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it would appear that this date of information is in error and should be around the end of August, before the troops moved out of Kwangsi.

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** Comment. Presumably this refers to the 146 Division.

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